

CSWC Operational Period Summary

1800 October 26 2014 to 0600 October 27 2014



Bean Hollow, Pebble Beach, Monterey County

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Cal OES
GOVERNOR'S OFFICE
OF EMERGENCY SERVICES

SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:

Eureka Weather:

High pressure will persist over the area today. More rain is possible Tuesday through Thursday, mainly north of Cape Mendocino, as a frontal boundary stalls out. Thursday night into Friday, a cold front will bring rain to the whole area.

San Francisco Weather:

Dry weather conditions and a warming trend are forecast through midweek as an upper level ridge of high pressure builds over California. A Pacific weather system will likely spread rain across much of the district Friday into Saturday.

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY

Sacramento Weather:

Mild weather will continue for the forecast area through Thursday. A frontal system will then impact northern California Friday (Halloween) and Saturday with a good probability of rain.

Hanford Weather:

High pressure will build inland today and bring dry conditions and a warming trend to the area through Thursday. A low pressure system will move across the area by late in the week and bring a chance of rain and mountain snow on Friday and Saturday.

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Los Angeles Weather:

Near normal temperatures will continue today. High pressure and weak offshore flow will bring warmer temperatures each day Tuesday and Wednesday. A trough of low pressure will bring cooler and cloudier weather for the end of the week and next weekend, along with a slight chance of rain.

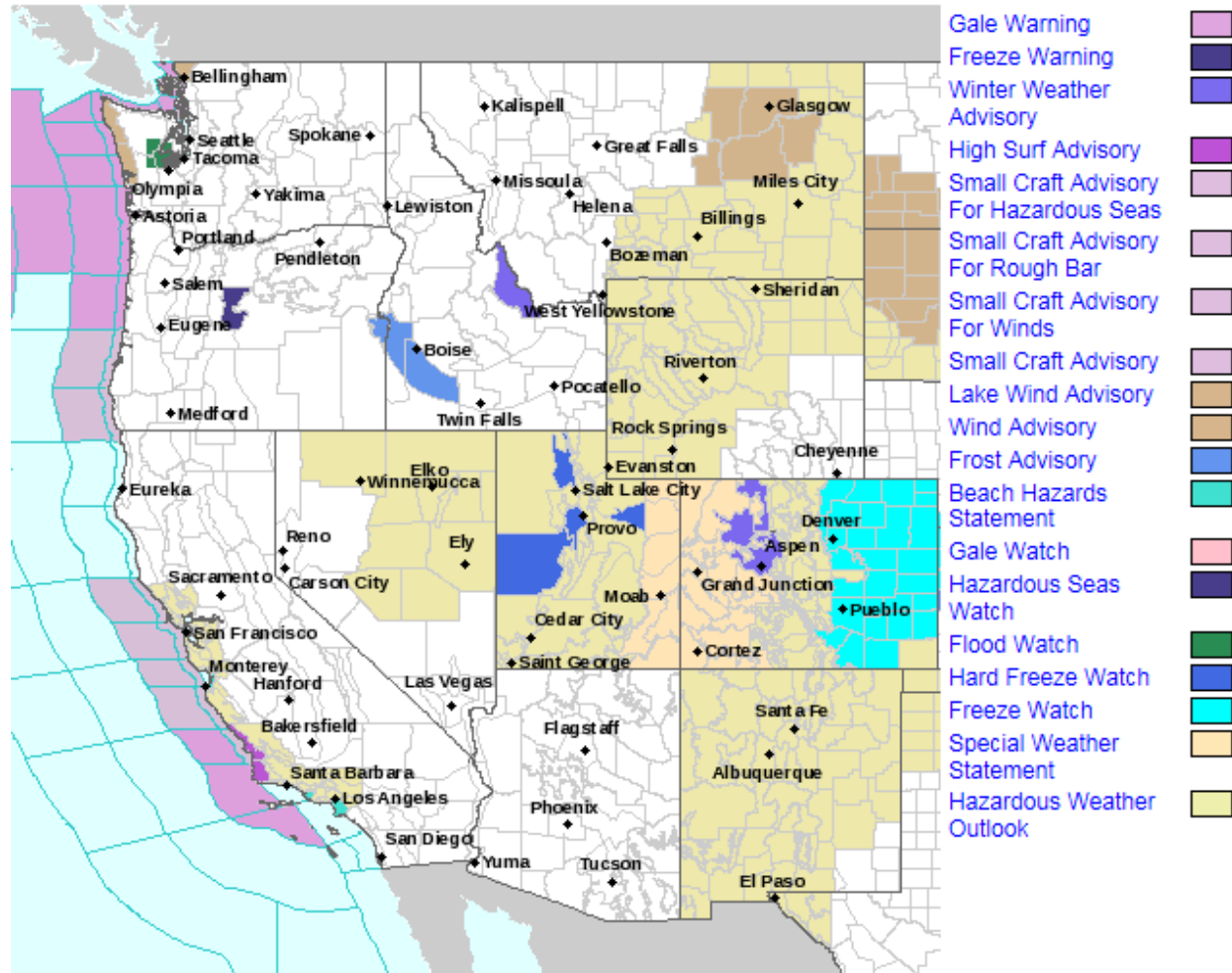
Extreme Southwestern California Including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:

High pressure will develop over California through Wednesday bringing a warming and fewer night and morning coastal low clouds. Surface high pressure over the Great Basin will bring local gusty northeast winds near the coastal foothills for Tuesday into Wednesday. Slow cooling will begin on Thursday in advance of a low pressure system that will move inland through California on Friday night and Saturday. This will bring cooling, a deeper marine layer, small chances for light precipitation along the west mountains, and locally gusty west winds in the mountains and deserts. Warming will resume for early next week with gusty northeast winds near the coastal foothills Monday and Tuesday.

Southeast California Weather:

Anticipate little change in high temperatures through Tuesday as they remain a bit above normal, though low temperatures will be cooler. Temperatures trend upward at least a few degrees during the latter half of the workweek as high pressure moves across the region. Anticipate clear skies through Friday except for some high cloudiness Thursday. Over the weekend, a dry cold front will bring much cooler temperatures and breezy conditions.

STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Oct, 27th 2014 at 5:37:43 am MDT

FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

Southern California

Preparedness Level 3, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

Boles Incident Vegetation Fire- City of Weed, Siskiyou County

Recovery Activities

- On 10/01/14, the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) approved a disaster declaration making SBA assistance available in the primary County of Siskiyou and the contiguous counties of Del Norte, Humboldt, Modoc, Shasta, and Trinity, making low-interest federal disaster loans available to homeowners, renters, businesses of all sizes and private nonprofit organizations whose property was damaged or destroyed by the Boles Fire. The filing deadline to return applications for property damage is 12/01/14. The deadline to return economic injury applications is 07/01/15. In addition, a Disaster Loan Outreach Center opened Wednesday, 10/01/14, at 1200 hours, located at the College of the Siskiyou's Life Science Building 3, Room LS-1, 800 College Avenue, Weed, California 96094, Mondays – Fridays, 0900 – 1800 hours.
- On 10/06/14, the Governor issued Executive Order (EO) B-27-14, which provides CDAA, and debris removal assistance, including the suspension of rules and regulations impacting debris removal. The EO also provides the ability for nonprofit organizations to seek reimbursement for extraordinary activities through the State Private Nonprofit Organizations Assistance Program.
- Non-food items have transitioned from the Salvation Army to a collaboration of four non-profit agencies involved in the distribution of items such as baby clothes, diapers, clothing, etc.
- The Cal OES VAL continues to coordinate and participate in Long Term Recovery Group (LTRG) meetings with NGO, Faith Based, and local agencies. Shasta Community Foundation was identified as a fiscal agent for the group. Individuals needing assistance should be directed to the Family & Community Resource Center of Weed located at 260 Main Street, Weed. Funding organizations will assist with unmet needs through the case management process. The VAL will continue to provide guidance to the LTRG group.
- The College of the Siskiyou's website contains a Fire Resource List of various local agencies offering goods and services. The document can be found at <http://www.siskiyou.edu/humanresources/documents/fireresourcelist.pdf>. Additional information on recovery efforts can be found at <https://weed.recovers.org/>.
- Food donations are being accepted at 310 Boles Street.
- Due to the high levels of asbestos found in the destroyed library, the Siskiyou County Health Officer, US/EPA, and CalRecycle recommend the temporary relocation of families living in the undamaged homes directly adjacent to the library. However, the City is temporarily sheltering (less than 30 days) one family displaced by the debris removal activities at the library location.
- US EPA completed removal of asbestos from the library.
- The Applicants Briefings for the Boles Fire FMAG and the CDAA 2014-4 Siskiyou County Wildfires is today 10/22/14, beginning at 0900 hours at the College of the Siskiyous, 800 College Avenue, Building 3 Room 3 in Weed.

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Cal Recycle reports:

Air monitoring activities continue in the work area and surrounding community.

12,912.32 total tons of debris have been removed as of day 20 of operations (205.09 tons of metal delivered for recycling; 4589.60 tons of concrete delivered for recycling; and 8,117.63 tons of debris, ash and soil delivered for disposal)

The Numbers as of Day 20

- 134 Sites registered for the removal project (Right-of-Entry, includes library, community center and 2 churches).
- 10 Sites denied entry.
- 133 Sites documented.
- 134 Asbestos surveys completed.
- 65 Sites with asbestos containing material.
- 59 Sites cleared of asbestos containing material.
- 91 Debris removal completed.
- 53 Sites sampled.
- 0 Sample results approved.
- 0 Erosion control completed.
- 0 Approved by City of Weed as ready for a building permit.

Cal OES Deployments

- One (1) Cal OES Recovery staff is assigned.

RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

Magnitude 6.0 Earthquake, American Canyon, Napa County

Recovery Activities

- Based on a request for additional IA information for the major disaster declaration request, IA teams conducted PDAs 09/08/14 through 09/12/14 in Napa County, the City of Vallejo, and Solano County IA PDA teams conducted additional PDAs 09/17/14 through 09/19/14 finalizing PDAs in Napa County. The Presidential Declaration request letter along with supplement information was forwarded to FEMA for consideration.
- The deadline for Cal OES to submit the Request for Public Assistance of potential applicants to be considered for reimbursement for this event is this Friday, 10/24/14. To date, fifty-seven (57) RPAs have been received and there have been six (6) applications withdrawn for a total of fifty-one (51) RPAs. Twenty-eight (28) Kickoff Meetings have been completed and four (4) additional Kickoff Meetings are scheduled.
- The Napa Long Term Recovery Committee (LTRC) is in the process of forming its leadership, establishing policies and procedures, and identifying a Mission statement. A follow up meeting is pending.
- Cal OES IA Voluntary Agency Liaison (VAL) continues NGO coordination in Solano County. Due to the absence of local faith based and other organizations that may have resources, Solano VOAD will reach out to expand the engagement of additional nonprofit and faith based partners. Once the organizations are identified, a follow up meeting will be held in hopes of identifying key leaders interested in forming an LTR committee.
- Local Assistance Center (LAC): County and City of Napa: LAC opened on 09/08/14 at 301 1st Street, Napa (corner of 1st Street and Silverado Trail). The LAC is open until further notice.

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated at Level 2 in support of the Drought State of Emergency Monday through Friday, from 0800-1700 hours.
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 2 Monday through Friday, from 0800-1700 hours, or as needed.
- The Coastal REOC is activated at Level 2 Monday through Friday, from 0800-1700 hours, or as needed.
- The Southern REOC is activated at Level 1 Monday through Friday, from 0800-1700 hours, or as needed.
- The Santa Barbara County OA EOC is activated at Level 2 to be handled by the duty officer for the purpose of monitoring activities and gaining situational awareness. The operational period is Monday through Friday, from 0800-1700 hours.
- The Governor issued an Executive Order on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought. Specifically, through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.

CAL OES MISSIONS

Ongoing Cal OES Missions

- **20141-LAW-7209, 10/23/14, 1500 hours.** Trinity County Sheriff's Office requested assistance in the search for a missing hunter in the Indian Dick area, which is an extremely remote location in the Mendocino National Forest. The hunter, a 58 year old male, had been reported missing on 10/22/14 at 1400. The initial request included 50 ground personnel, 4 trailing/tracking dogs, portable radio repeater, satellite phone communications and helicopters from both the California Highway Patrol and California National Guard. LDO was able to secure the requested resources for a search beginning the morning of 10/24/14. **Update 10/25/14:** No significant clues located. Weather forecast for Saturday is heavy rain which would hamper search efforts, and increase the risk of injury to personnel. As a result, Trinity County has suspended searching for Saturday. Searching anticipated to resume Sunday, 10/26. Total of 34 personnel for a Sunday operation period confirmed with Santa Clara, Contra Costa, San Mateo, Shasta, and Mendocino County. In addition, a CNG Helicopter, "Fly Away" kit from Cal OES TCOMM and two canine teams confirmed. Two MSAT Satellite phone kits, with push to talk have been deployed to the Trinity SAR in the Mendocino National Forest. AC Ben Green delivered the kits to CNG, who is tasked with air support for the SAR and delivered the MSAT kits to the SAR Incident Command Post. **Mission On-going**

Closed Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW-7239** Nevada County Sheriff's Office has requested seven (7) Human remains detection dogs to assist in the search for the remains of an old missing persons case. Area to be searched is several mile long section of Washington Rd in Washington, CA. This is just outside Nevada City. Area is a winding road through rolling hills, Elevation is approximately 3600 feet. Mostly wooded area. Cal OES LDO is coordinating resources. [Update: 10/26/14, Mission completed without a find, but new investigative leads developed. Resources released.](#) **Mission Closed**



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.